

H.R. 1863: Mr. FOLEY.
 H.R. 1869: Mrs. FOWLER.
 H.R. 1875: Mr. GARY MILLER of California,
 Mr. GOSS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mrs.
 BIGGERT, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr.
 BACHUS.

H.R. 1899: Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. HOLT, Mr.
 CUMMINGS, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. MARKEY, and
 Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 1932: Mr. ROTHMAN and Mr. GEPHARDT.
 H.R. 1967: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania and
 Mr. CONDIT.

H.R. 1975: Mr. CALVERT and Mr. PAUL.
 H.R. 1990: Mr. COYNE, Mr. STRICKLAND, and
 Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 1998: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. ISAKSON, and
 Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 1999: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 2004: Mr. CAPUANO and Mrs.
 CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 2013: Mr. LAHOOD and Mr. HILLEARY.

H.R. 2020: Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 2030: Mr. FORD.

H.R. 2031: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania
 and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 2106: Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin.

H.R. 2185: Mr. COYNE and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 2231: Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 2241: Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. PETERSON of
 Pennsylvania, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. WHITFIELD,
 Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 2247: Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. KNOLLENBERG,
 and Mr. BARR of Georgia.

H.R. 2337: Mr. HILLEARY.

H.R. 2388: Mr. OBERSTAR.

H.R. 2341: Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. COSTELLO,
 Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. McDERMOTT, and Mr.
 OBERSTAR.

H.R. 2344: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.

H.R. 2400: Mr. WATKINS, Mr. FROST, Mr.
 ISAKSON, and Mr. BALLENGER.

H.R. 2409: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GON-
 ZALEZ, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 2446: Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms.
 LOFGREN, and Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 2452: Mr. ARMEY.

H.R. 2458: Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 2488: Mr. THOMAS, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr.
 SMITH of Texas, and Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 2498: Mr. SERRANO, Mr. PETERSON of
 Pennsylvania, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. DOYLE,
 Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. FIL-
 NER, and Ms. DUNN.

H.R. 2499: Mr. TOWNS and Mr. DINGELL.

H.R. 2515: Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. MALONEY of
 Connecticut.

H. Con. Res. 38: Mr. SCOTT and Mr. BISHOP.

H. Con. Res. 110: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin,
 Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. HORN, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr.
 GOODE, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. RA-
 HALL, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr.
 FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. RILEY, Mr. PETRI, Mr.
 DIXON, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr.
 BACHUS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mrs. CLAYTON,
 Mr. GONZALEZ, Ms. CARSON, Mr. FORBES, Mr.
 COOK, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. GUT-
 KNECHT, Mr. SKELTON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of
 Texas, Mrs. MYRICK, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE
 JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. FILNER, Mr. PHELPS,
 Mr. OXLEY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr.
 HALL of Texas, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. BEREUTER,
 Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, and Ms. DANNER.

H. Con. Res. 113: Mr. MCINTYRE.

H. Con. Res. 120: Mr. BASS and Mr. BONIOR.

H. Con. Res. 137: Mr. BARR of Georgia.

H. Res. 169: Mr. SABO.

H. Res. 201: Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. KENNEDY of
 Rhode Island, Mr. DEMINT, and Mr. BERMAN.

DISCHARGE PETITIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XV, the fol-
 lowing discharge petitions were filed:

Petition 4, Thursday, July 15, 1999, by
 Ms. DEGETTE on House Resolution 192,
 was signed by the following Members:
 Diana DeGette, Carolyn McCarthy,
 Nita M. Lowey, Rosa L. DeLauro,
 Charles B. Rangel, Frank Pallone, Jr.,
 Janice D. Schakowsky, Harold E. Ford,
 Jr., Louise McIntosh Slaughter, Steph-
 anie Tubbs Jones, Jerrold Nadler, Mark
 Udall, James P. Moran, Zoe Lofgren,
 Nancy Pelosi, Maxine Waters, Lynn C.
 Woolsey, Sam Farr, Juanita Millender-
 McDonald, Barbara Lee, David E.
 Bonior, Xavier Becerra, William D.
 Delahunt, Anna G. Eshoo, Lois Capps,
 Tom Lantos, Robert T. Matsui, Lucille
 Roybal-Allard, Grace F. Napolitano,
 and Brad Sherman.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, pro-
 posed amendments were submitted as
 follows:

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OFFERED BY: MRS. MINK OF HAWAII

AMENDMENT NO. 1: Page 40, line 24, before
 the semicolon insert "and redesignating part
 E as part D".

Page 40, strike line 25 and insert the fol-
 lowing:

(2) by inserting after section 2260 the fol-
 lowing:

"PART C—USE OF SABBATICAL LEAVE FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT"

"SEC. 2301. GRANTS FOR SALARY DURING SAB- BATICAL LEAVE."

"(a) PROGRAM AUTHORIZED.—The Secretary
 may make grants to State educational agen-
 cies and local educational agencies to pay
 such agencies for one-half of the amount of
 the salary that otherwise would be earned by
 an eligible teacher described in subsection
 (b), if, in lieu of fulfilling the teacher's ordi-
 nary teaching assignment, the teacher com-
 pletes a course of study described in sub-
 section (c) during a sabbatical term de-
 scribed in subsection (d).

"(b) ELIGIBLE TEACHERS.—An eligible
 teacher described in this subsection is a
 teacher who—

"(1) is employed by an agency receiving a
 grant under this section to provide class-
 room instruction to children at an elemen-
 tary or secondary school that provides free
 public education;

"(2) has secured from such agency, and any
 other person or agency whose approval is re-
 quired under State law, approval to take sab-
 batlcal leave for a sabbatical term described
 in subsection (d);

"(3) has submitted to the agency an appli-
 cation for a subgrant at such time, in such

manner, and containing such information as
 the agency may require, including—

"(A) written proof—

"(i) of the approval described in paragraph
 (2); and

"(ii) of the teacher's having been accepted
 for enrollment in a course of study described
 in subsection (c); and

"(B) assurances that the teacher—

"(i) will notify the agency in writing with-
 in a reasonable time if the teacher termi-
 nates enrollment in the course of study de-
 scribed in subsection (c) for any reason;

"(ii) in the discretion of the agency, will
 reimburse to the agency some or all of the
 amount of the subgrant if the teacher fails
 to complete the course of study; and

"(iii) otherwise will provide the agency
 with proof of having completed such course
 of study not later than 60 days after such
 completion; and

"(4) has been selected by the agency to re-
 ceive a subgrant based on the agency's plan
 for meeting its classroom needs.

"(c) COURSE OF STUDY.—A course of study
 described in this subsection is a course of
 study at an institution of higher education
 that—

"(1) requires not less than one academic se-
 mester and not more than one academic year
 to complete;

"(2) is open for enrollment for professional
 development purposes to an eligible teacher
 described in subsection (b); and

"(3) is designed to improve the classroom
 teaching of such teachers through academic
 and child development studies.

"(d) SABBATICAL TERM.—A sabbatical term
 described in this subsection is a leave of ab-
 sence from teaching duties granted to an eli-
 gible teacher for not less than one academic
 semester and not more than one academic
 year, during which period the teacher re-
 ceives—

"(1) one-half of the amount of the salary
 that otherwise would be earned by the teach-
 er, if the teacher had not been granted a
 leave of absence, from State or local funds
 made available by a State educational agen-
 cy or a local educational agency; and

"(2) one-half of such amount from Federal
 funds received by such agency through a
 grant under this section.

"(e) PAYMENTS.—

"(1) TO ELIGIBLE TEACHERS.—In making a
 subgrant to an eligible teacher under this
 section, a State educational agency or a
 local educational agency shall agree to pay
 the teacher, for tax and administrative pur-
 poses, as if the teacher's regular employment
 and teaching duties had not been suspended.

"(2) REPAYMENT OF SECRETARY.—A State
 educational agency or a local educational
 agency receiving a grant under this section
 shall agree to pay over to the Secretary the
 Federal share of any amount recovered by
 the agency pursuant to subsection
 (b)(3)(B)(ii).

"(f) FUNDING.—For the purpose of carrying
 out this section, there are authorized to be
 appropriated \$200,000,000 for fiscal year 2000
 and such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
 years 2001 through 2004."; and